



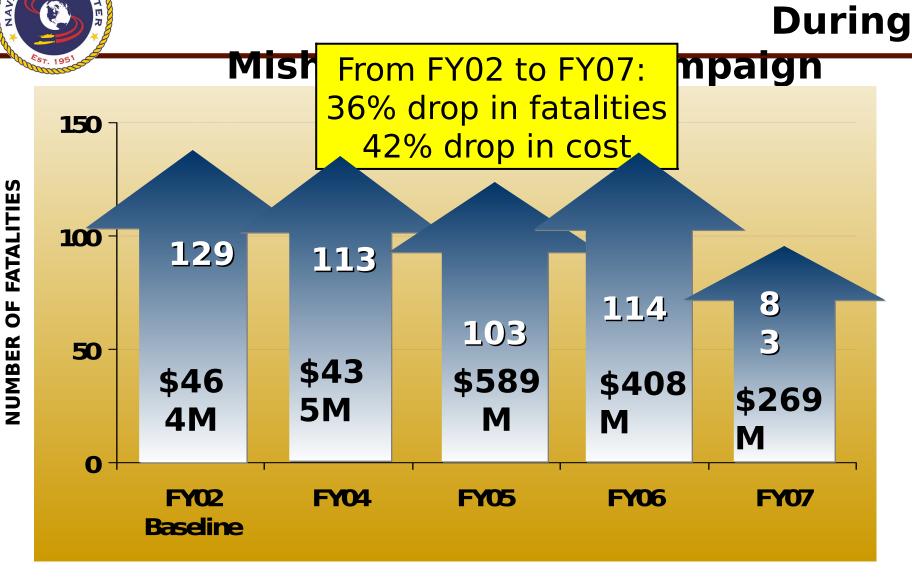






# Joint Service Safety Council U.S. Navy Update

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**USN Fatalities & Resources Lost** 

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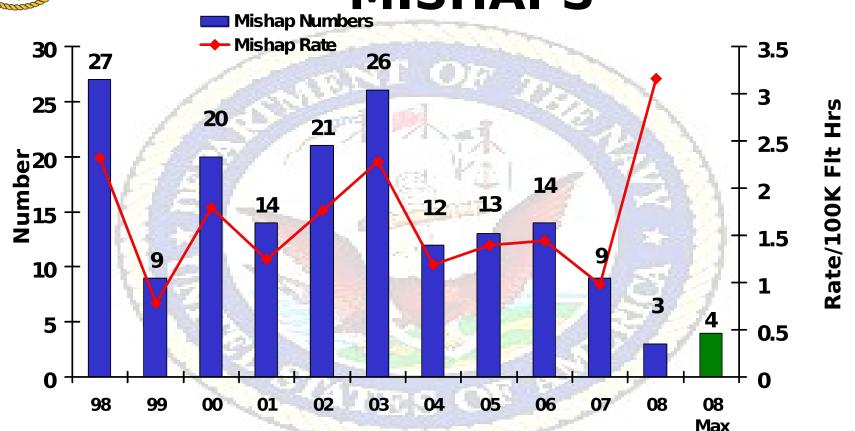
### **How Did Our Sailors Die?**

	103	114	<b>83</b>
	Died in	Died in	Died in
	FY05	FY06	FY07
PMV	58	78	<b>51</b>
Off-Duty Recreation	(56%)	(68%)	(61%)
Aviation	21	15	10
Shore/Ground/MV	(20%)	(13%)	(12%)
Operational	8(8%)	10 (9%)	15
Surface	15 \ \	11	(18%)
Ships/Sub/Diving	(15%)	(10%)	5 (6%)
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## NAVY CLASS A FLIGHT MISHAPS



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**Nov 06** 

CLASS A MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE FY COMPARISON: 3 / 3.16 0/

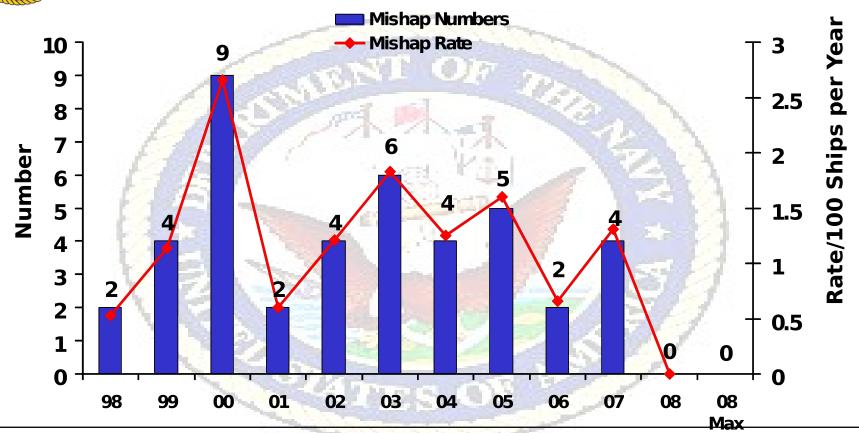
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FY07 MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE: 9 / 0.97

10-YEAR AVERAGE (FY98-07) MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE: 16.5 / 1.54



#### **CLASS A AFLOAT MISHAPS**



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**Nov 06** 

CLASS A MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE FY COMPARISON: 0 / 0.00 1 /

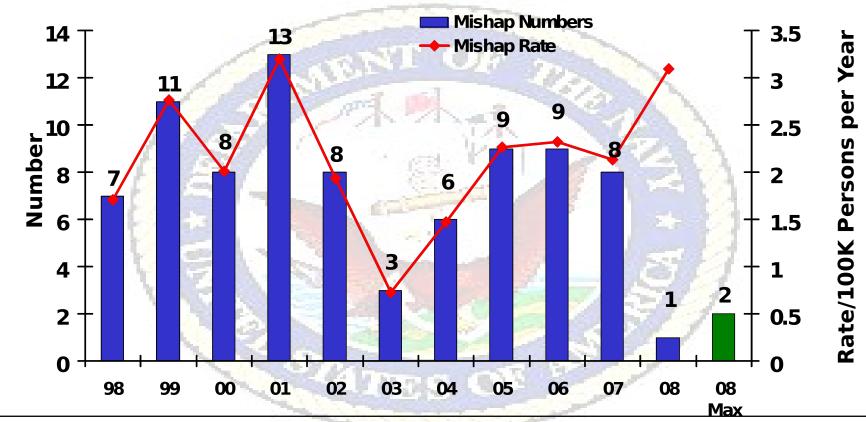
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FY07 MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE: 4 / 1.31

10-YEAR AVERAGE (FY98-07) MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE: 4.2 / 1.27



## CLASS A SHORE OPER MISHAPS



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**Nov 06** 

CLASS A MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE FY COMPARISON: 1 / 3.09

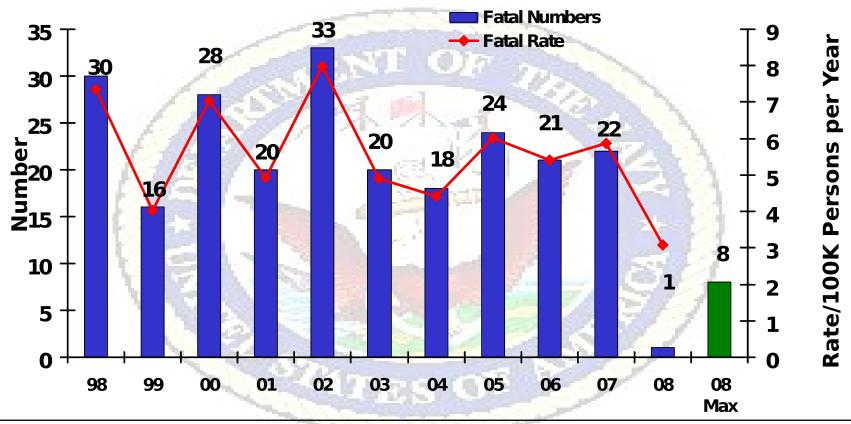
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**FY07 MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE:** 8 / 2.13

10-YEAR AVERAGE (FY98-07) MISHAPS/MISHAP RATE: 8.2 / 2.05



#### **OPERATIONAL FATALITIES**



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**FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE FY COMPARISON:** 1 / 3.09 0 /

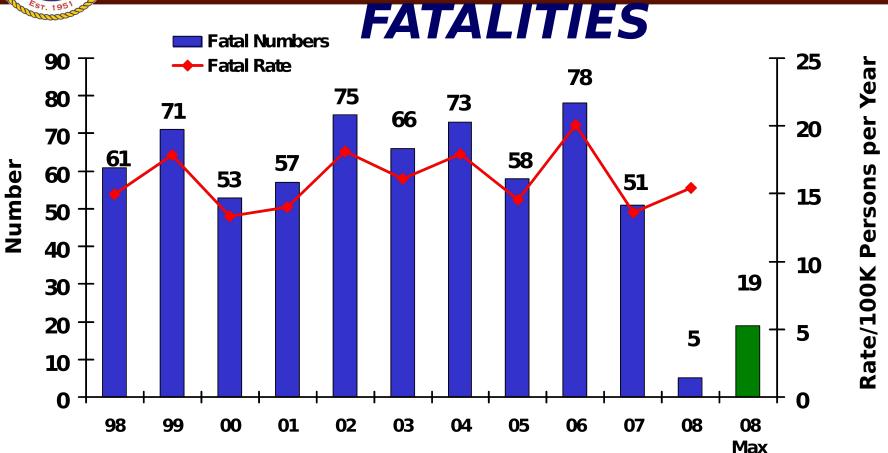
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**FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE:** 22 / 5.87

10-YEAR AVERAGE (FY98-07) FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE: 23.2 / 5.80



#### **PMV**



2 PMV Fatality during this reporting period 27 Ogb-ND2 07 02 Nov 06 Nov CLASS A FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE FY COMPARISON: 5 / 15.44 5 / 15.00

FY07 FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE: 51 / 13.60

10 VEAD AVEDAGE (EVOS 07) EATALITIES EATALITY DATE: 64 2 / 16 06



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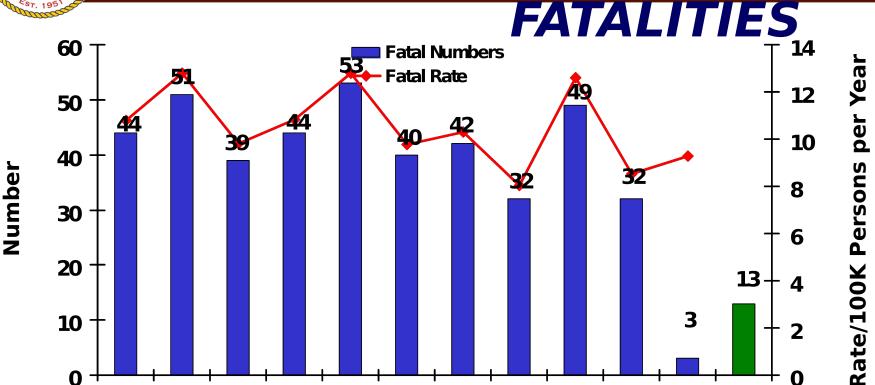
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#### 4-WHEEL PMV



\*pedestrian fatalities not

08 Max

1 Four-Wheel Fatality during this reporting period 1252 445-07 02 Nov 0@2 Nov

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**CLASS A FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE FY COMPARISON:** 3 / 9.27 5 / **15.00** 

FY07 FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE: 32 / 8.53

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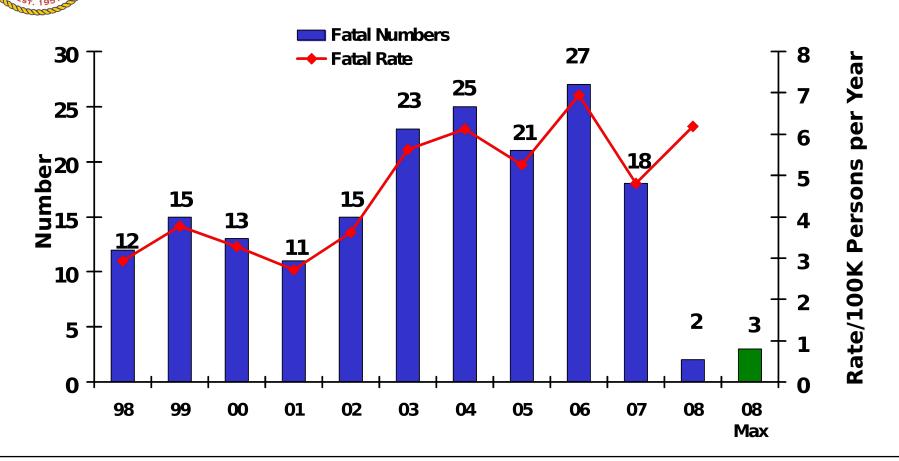
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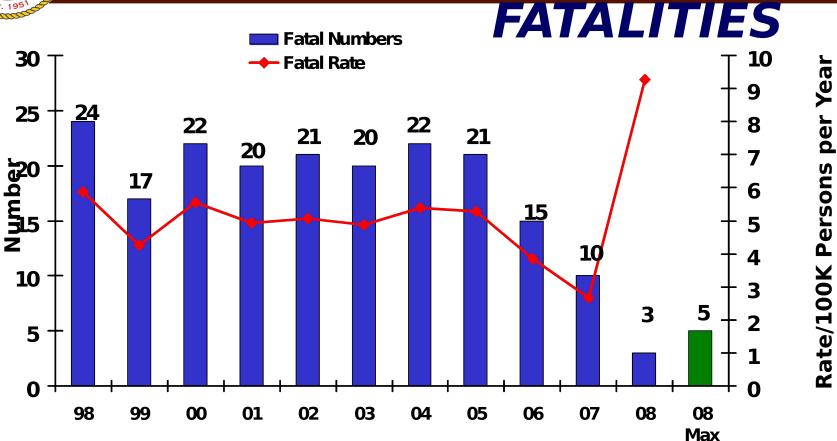
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Nov 06 Oct - 02 Nov		
CLASS A FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE FY COMPARISON	N: 2 / 6.18	0 /
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FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE: 18 / 4.80		



## OFF-DUTY/REC



0 Off-duty/Rec Fatalities during this reporting perind 207 02 Nov 06 Oct - 02 Nov

CLASS A FATALITIES/FATALITY RATE FY COMPARISON: 3 / 9.27 0 / 0.00 FY07 FATALITIES/FATALITY

**RATE:** 10 / 2.67

10.VEAD AVEDAGE (EVOS.07) EATALITIES (EATALITY DATE: 10.2 / 4.90



#### **Initiatives**

 Advanced Flight Deck Cranial (FDC)

Brown Out

ORMAS



## Cost of Hearing Loss for Navy & Marine Corps

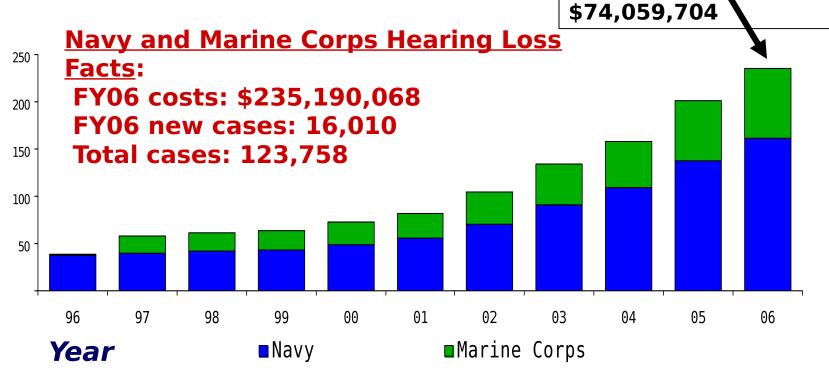
(1996-2006)

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Navy

\$161,180,364 Marine Corp







### **The Growing Noise Problem**

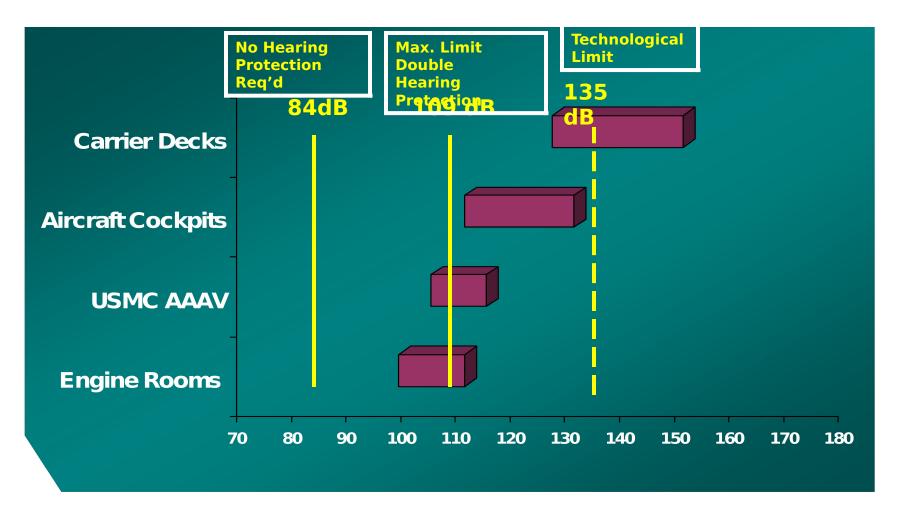
Cost of Hearing Loss for All Veterans



<sup>\*</sup> Data extrapolated from Dec 06 claims



## THE GROWING NOISE PROBLEM Noise Levels in Navy & Marine Corps



Noise Level (Decibel)



## Advanced Flight Deck Cranial (FDC)

#### Background

- Basic cranial design has been around since 1955.
  - Sound protection unchanged although jet engine technological advances increased personnel exposure to higher noise levels.
  - Multiple, unmanaged configurations.
    - basic/radios/NVGs/sound powered.
- Navy began efforts to develop and procure an upgraded cranial.
  - Procurement Risk Management Board (RMB) established.
    - NAVSAFECEN represented.
  - \$3Mil devoted to RDT&E effort.
  - Fleet input on cranial designs were received.



#### **FDC Solution**







Improved Ear cup Cushion & Foam and Tethered Custom Earplug w/o communication



Noise Canceling Mic & Talk-Thru€



Tailor to mission and individual needExpanding foam or custom earplugs

**FOUO** 

• Passive or "passive + active" noise reduction

With or without comm and talk-thru capability



Foam &
Custom MiniCEP
Communicatio
n Earplugs



### Potential for Joint Application

 This program is presently fielded to support Naval Aviation units, however, this program could be leveraged by other services.



#### **BROWN OUT**







### **DON BROWN OUT MISHAPS SINCE**9/11

Date	TMS	Class
12/6/2001	UH-1N (USMC)	A FM
12/16/2001	AH-1W (USMC)	C FM
1/5/2002	CH-46E (USMC)	C FM
3/30/2003	UH-1N (USMC)	A FM
4/8/2003	HH-60H (USN)	A FM
9/13/2004	CH-53E (USMC)	A FM
12/11/2006	CH-53E (USMC)	A FM
8/10/2007	HH-60H (USN)	A FM

- Threat: Unseen obstacles in LZ
  - Other aircraft maneuvering nearby
  - Ground/uneven terrain
  - Poles/wires
  - Etc.



## Brown Out Blue Threat Analysis

- Lack of "see through instrumentation"
- Inadequate desert landing, brown out, wave off training
  - Proficiency in theater
- Poor crew resource management during approach/brown out conditions
- Violations of SOP when B/O encountered
- Failed to execute proper Instrument Take Off
- Poor evaluation of the LZ and prevailing wind conditions based on power available
- LZ lighting conditions



### **Current Mitigation**

- Training
  - Desert Talon, Unit level
- Crew Resource Management
- Local SOPs
  - Wave off losing sight of ground
  - Transport/Attack
- LZ planning
  - Landing on hard surface/grass



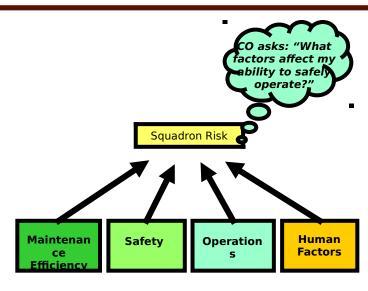
## Future Technological Mitigation

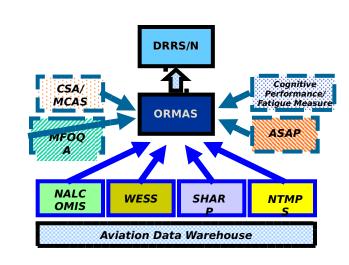
- DARPA contract with Sikorsky to develop brown out solution.
  - USMC only
- 53K has a cockpit brown out solution as part of its ORD.
- Navy waiting to see progress on Army H60 program
  - Boeing developing solution for H60/H47
- Safety Technology WG (under ASITF) recommendation to DSOC
  - Technology solution to brown out problem.



#### What Is ORMAS?

- Forward looking risk assessment and decision enhancement tool providing leaders a view of unit current and future risk
- Capture performance data from existing sources
- Collate and analyze measures with an eye toward leading safety and risk management metrics
- · Assign a risk score to an evolution
- Measurement of graduated risk levels affecting safe operations
- Display results to various levels of leadership to identify HAZARDS and control risk
- · 1 Leg of the Triad Unit, People, Machine







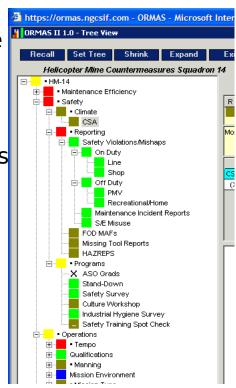
#### **ORMAS Today & Tomorrow**

#### **Today**

- · Completed initial proof of concept with HM (H-53) squadrons
  - ✓ Capability & potential well received
  - ✓ SORTS like risk assessment scale based on quantitative standards
  - ✓ Fleet developed, flexible weighted metrics
  - ✓ Multi-level, drill down capability
  - ✓ Data trending/charting capability...selectable time frame

#### **Tomorrow**

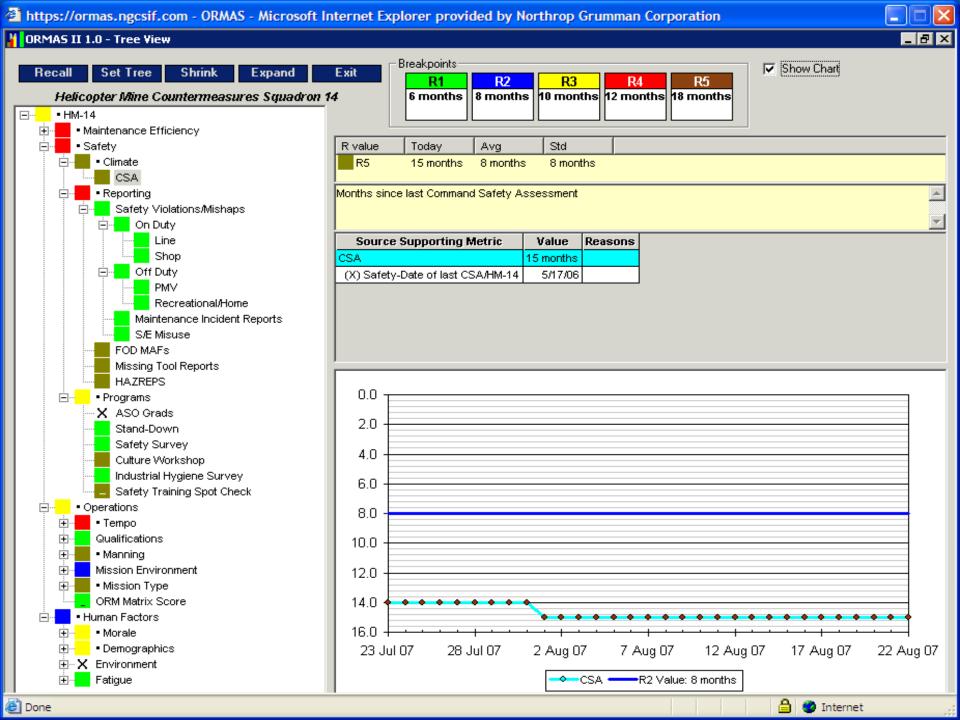
- · Establish a Safety OAG for metrics standardization
  - T/M/S core safety/risk based metrics that effect readiness
  - Warfare area specific metrics by T/M/S...
  - CO "metrics of interest"
- · Link data to mishap causal factors; "Tuneable"
- · "Predictive" capability...as data accumulates/matures
- Incorporate fatigue measurement tool
- Roll up capability to DRRS ... for selective metrics





### Why address at JSSC?

- Joint Service Applicability unit predictive risk tool
  - Tunable, scalable for other communities and services
- Currently funded through April 2008
- Additional \$250,000 to continue development thru Sep 08
- Establish ORMAS as a Navy Program of Record for FY-09
- DSOC potential





## Questions



## **Back up slides**



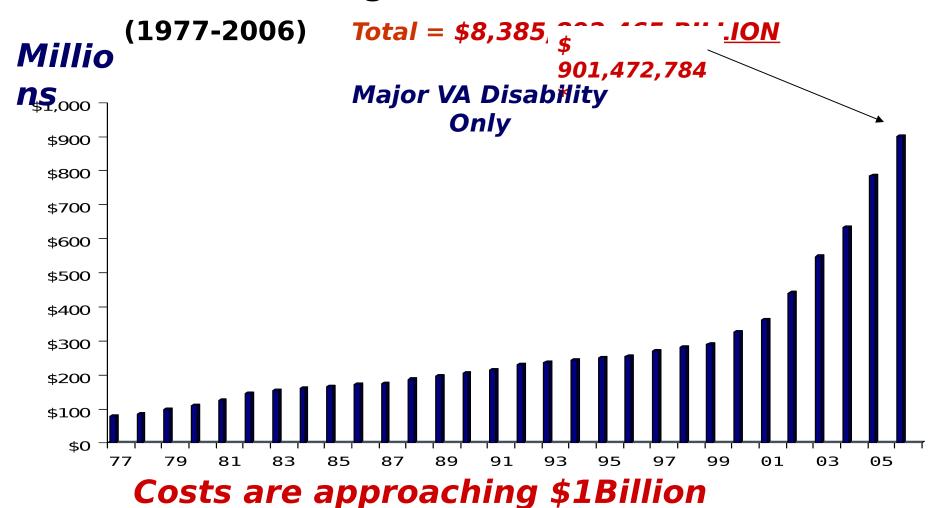






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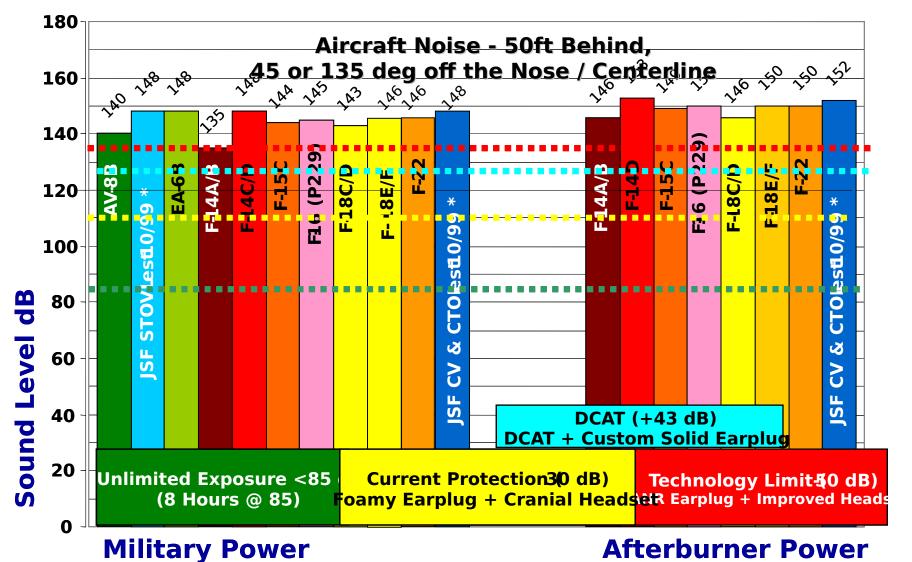
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## AIRCRAFT NOISE What We Can and Can't Do About It





## arrier deck launch support personnel bow catapult position (F-35 noise contours)



